

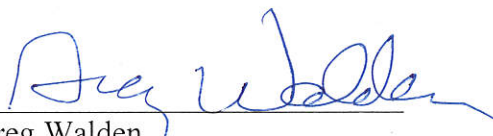
June 23, 2020

The Honorable Frank Pallone, Jr.
Chairman
Committee on Energy and Commerce
2125 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Pallone,

Pursuant to Rule 9(b)(1) of the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, in addition to my opening statement, I designate Rep. Michael C. Burgess, M.D. (TX-26) "to give an opening statement of not more than 5 minutes" at the Full Committee hearing on June 23, 2020, entitled "Oversight of the Trump Administration's Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic."

Sincerely,



Greg Walden
Republican Leader